

House Resolution No. 692

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Sally Elrod, who has distinguished herself as the 2001 Piedmont Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year; and

Whereas, a graduate of Clearwater High School and Southeast Missouri State University, Sally Elrod played an integral role in the lives of countless Missouri youth as a Social Studies teacher for thirty-two years; and

Whereas, throughout her impressive tenure as an educator, Sally Elrod taught her students to be good, law-abiding citizens and was a strong supporter of various educational programs including after school tutoring and the Study Buddies program, a Partners in Learning program, History at the Movies, the Second Chance Club, and the Beta Club, a scholarship and service organization for high school students; and

Whereas, Sally Elrod has compiled an enviable list of service to the Piedmont community through her affiliation with the Adopt-A-Highway program, Piedmont Park Clean-up, the Salvation Army, Beta Buddies, Haven House, the Wayne County Cancer Relay for Life, the Ambulance District, the Freedom Walk, St. Jude's Children's Hospital, the Girls Scouts of America, the Clearwater Family Youth Center, Services for Extended Employment, Alpha Delta Kappa, and the Clearwater School Board; and

Whereas, a proud recipient of the 2001 Wal-Mart Teacher of the Year award, Sally Elrod represents Wayne County on a four-county board as a Selective Service Representative, which holds annual training sessions with headquarters in Butler County; and

Whereas, a devout member of the First Baptist Church where she has glorified the Lord as an Adult Sunday School Leader, Department Leader, Training Union Leader, and Trustee, Sally Elrod has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband, Kenny; and her two children, Kent and Keri:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Sally Elrod upon her most worthy receipt of the prestigious 2001 Piedmont Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year award, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Sally Elrod.

Offered by _____
Representative Rod Jetton
District No. 156

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 692, adopted March 11, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker